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EO 11652: NA  
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SUBJ: US EXPORT CONTROLS ON TEXAS INSTRUMENTS "SILENT 773 KSR"  
ELECTRONIC DATA TERMINALS

1. KONTRON ELECTRONIC AG OF ZURICH, SWITZERLAND REQUESTS  
INFO ON US EXPORT CONTROL REGULATIONS APPLYING TO TEXAS  
INSTRUMENTS' SILENT 733 KSR ELECTRONIC DATA TERMINAL. KONTRON,  
WHICH REPRESENTS TEXAS INSTRUMENTS PRODUCTS IN SWITZERLAND,  
HAS OFFERED FROM WILD HEERBRUGG, A SWISS PRECISION ENGINEERING  
COMPANY, TO PURCHASE 30 SUCH TERMINALS PER YEAR FOR  
INCORPORATION INTO A DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEM FOR WILD'S  
PHOTOGRAMMETRIC PLOTTER. SINCE WILD INTENDS TO REEXPORT  
BOTH PLOTTER AND DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEM WORLD-WIDE, IT  
HAS MADE CONDITION OF ITS PURCHASE OF TEXAS INSTRUMENTS  
TERMINALS, THAT THERE BE NO EXPORT CONTROL PROCEDURES TO  
COMPLY WITH.

2. THE "SILENT 733 KSR" IS AN OLDER TEXAS INSTRUMENTS  
SYSTEM UTILIZING USASCII CODE, SWITCH SELECTABLE SPEEDS  
OF 10, 15, AND 30 CHARACTERS PER SECOND, AND SWITCH  
SELECTABLE ODD, EVEN, OR MARK PARIY GENERATION.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE INFORM US WHETHER THERE  
EXISTS ANY POSSIBILITY FOR KONTRON TO OBTAIN THE ABOVE  
TERMINALS UNDER GENERAL LICENSE OR SOME SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.  
WILD HAS AGREED TO CONDUCT STRICT CONTROL OVER  
DESTINATION AND END-USE OF ABOVE TERMINALS, AND TO  
PERMIT ITS RECORDS BE EXAMINED BY US AUTHORITIES.

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